

Tactical Information Operations Course FACT SHEET

WHAT IS THE TACTICAL IO COURSE?

The Tactical IO Course (TIOC) is an 11-day resident course which prepares service members to conduct tactical Information Operations (IO) planning, execution and assessment. Graduates are eligible for the P4 Tactical IO Planner Additional Skill Identifier (ASI). All IO elements and activities are addressed, and the course focuses on synchronizing and coordinating Operational Security (OPSEC), Psychological Operations (now Military Information Support Operations, or MISO), Military Deception (MILDEC), Electronic Warfare (EW), Physical Destruction, Public Affairs (PA), and Civil Military Operations (CMO). Tactical IO Course graduates and their commanders report that the skills learned in the course are critical to their success in the full spectrum of military missions. The target audience is anyone from E-6 to O-5 who is involved in IO including: Information Operations Sections; Fires and Effects Cells; IO Staff Officers and NCOs; Commanders; Executive Officers; and Fire Support Officers, NCOs and enlisted soldiers from brigade to company level. Waivers for E-4s and E-5s who wish to attend will be considered on a case by case basis.

IS THERE A PREREQUISITE?

Our expectation is that Tactical Information Operations Course students will have completed IIA 101 prior to arriving. Your unit training NCO or schools administrator can enter you into this course via the Army Training Requirements and Resources System (ATRRS). Be sure to include your Army Knowledge Online (AKO) email address in the application. The school code is 1030 and the Course Number is NGB-AIS-IO (101). Soon after your application is approved by your Higher Headquarters, you will receive instructions via email on how to start the course using any internet-connected computer.

WHERE AND WHEN IS THE COURSE?

For Training Year 2014, the course dates and locations are:

(Course dates and location are subject to change)

<u>Report Date</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>End date</u>	<u>Location</u>
01 October 2013	02 October 2013	12 October 2014	RRTC, VT
09 February 2014	10 February 2014	20 Feb 2014	RRTC, VT
23 March 2014	24 March 2014	03 April 2014	RRTC, VT
06 April 2014	07 April 2014	17 April 2014	FT Campbell
31 May 2014	01 June 2014	11 June 2014	Austin, TX
06 July 2014	07 July 2014	17 July 2014	Washington State

Mobile Training Teams (MTT's)

The 3-124th Information Operations School also provides Mobile Training Teams (MTT's) upon request. These teams provide the same excellent training at a unit's location. Please contact the school or your Quota Source manager for more information.

HOW DO I ENROLL?

Your unit training NCO should enroll you in the Army Training Requirements and Resources System (ATRRS). The Course Number is 150-9E-SI/ASIP4/950-ASIP4 and the school code is 1030. This course is instructed by the 3-124th Information Operations (IO) School, part of the Vermont Army National Guard.

For further information, please contact 3rd Battalion (IO) 124th Regiment (RTI) at

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